## In the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho

IN RE: AMENDMENT OF IDAHO	)	ORDER
APPELLATE RULE 27	)	

The Court, having determined the need to amend Appellate Rule 27 to allow for the option of scanning the court record, and having fully considered the same;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Idaho Appellate Rules, as they appear in the volume published by the Idaho Code Commission be, and they are hereby, amended as follows:

Rule 27. Clerk's or agency's record - Number - Clerk's fees - Payment of estimated fees - Time for preparation - Waiver of clerk's fee.

- (a) Number and Use of Record. The clerk of the district court or agency shall prepare five copies of the clerk's or agency's record. Three copies shall be filed with the Supreme Court as provided by Rule 29. One copy shall be provided to the appellant and one copy shall be provided to the respondent. If there are multiple parties, they shall determine by stipulation which party shall be served with the record by the clerk and the manner and time of use of the record by each party. In the absence of such a stipulation, the determination shall be made by the district court or agency upon the application of any party or the clerk. Any party may also request and pay for an additional separate copy of the record from the clerk.
- (b) Option for scanning the record. In counties listed on a roster maintained by the Office of the Supreme Court Clerk as authorized to scan the record, the appellant may request that the clerk of the district court scan the entire district court file as the record in lieu of the appellant designating certain documents to be included in the record. All filed documents will be scanned in pdf format and five copies of the clerk's record in CD format will be prepared and distributed in accord with subsection (a) of this rule. Exhibits, including a presentence investigation report, shall be sent in accord with Rule 31. The district court clerk shall notify the Clerk of the Supreme Court by e-mail that the record will be provided in this manner.

(b-c) Clerk's Fee.

(1) Paper copy. The clerk of the district court shall charge and collect a fee for the preparation of the record in the sum of \$1.25 for each page of the record. Provided, in addition to this fee the clerk shall charge and

collect an additional fee for the actual cost of the record covers. Such fee shall be full payment for five complete copies of the record. Any party may obtain an additional copy of the record for the charge of \$.50 per page. The clerk of an administrative agency shall charge such sum, in any, as ordered by the administrative agency.

- (2) Scanned Copy. The clerk of the district court shall charge and collect a fee for preparation of the scanned record in the sum of \$0.65 for each page of the district court file. Such fee shall be full payment for five complete copies of the record. Any party may request an additional copy of the record on CD upon payment of \$20.00 to the clerk of the district court.
  - (e <u>d</u>) Payment of Estimated Fees. Before a notice of appeal is filed, the appellant shall pay the clerk an estimated record fee as computed by the clerk of the district court or administrative agency in accordance with subparagraph (b) of this rule, provided, if the estimated fee has not been made within two (2) days after the conclusion of the trial or proceeding, the estimated fees for preparation of the record shall be deemed to be the sum of \$100.00 until the actual fee has been computed.
  - (de) Time for Preparation. The clerk of the district court or administrative agency shall prepare the clerk's or agency's record and have it ready for service on the parties within 30 days of the date of the filing of the notice of appeal. The clerk shall retain the copies of the clerk's or agency's record until the reporter's transcript, if any, is finished and thereafter cause the same to be settled and forwarded to the Supreme Court as provided by Rule 29. An extension of time for preparation of the record may be obtained by filing a motion for extension of time with the Idaho Supreme Court at least five days before the record is due unless good cause is shown for the failure to timely file a motion. The motion for extension of time shall be on a form approved by the Supreme Court.
  - (e <u>f</u>) Waiver of Clerk's Fee. The payment of the clerk's record fee as required by this rule may be waived by the district court pursuant to section 31-3220, Idaho Code, in accordance with the local rules of the judicial district of the district court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order and these amendments shall be effective the first day of July, 2010.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the above designation of the striking of words from the Rules by lining through them, and the designation of the addition of new portions of the Rules by underlining such new portion is for the purposes of information

only as amended, and NO OTHER AMENDMENTS ARE INTENDED. The lining through and underlining shall not be considered a part of the permanent Idaho Appellate Rules.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the Clerk of the Court shall cause notice of this Order to be published in one issue of *The Advocate*.

Dated this 24 day of Inv, 2010.

By Order of the Supreme Court

Daniel T. Eismann, Chief Justice

ATTEST:

Stephen W. Kenyon, Clerk

I, Stephen W. Kenyon, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Idaho, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the Order entered in the above entitled cause and now on record in my office.

WITNESS my hand and the Seal of this Court 6/28/10

STEPHEN W. KENYON Clerk